



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Washington, D.C. 20201

Case No.: 2014-0082GD

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Jason Smathers
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Dear Mr. Smathers:

This letter is in response to your October 21, 2013, Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for logs of all FOIA requests made in fiscal year 2013.

The HHS FOI/PA Division located 20 pages of records responsive, which are enclosed are enclosed. I have determined to withhold portions of the release pages under FOIA exemption (b)(6).

Exemption (b)(6) permits the withholding of information which, if released, would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

There are no charges in this instance because the billable costs are less than our threshold of \$25.

If you believe that the information withheld should not be exempt from disclosure, you may appeal. Your appeal must be mailed within 30 days from the date of receipt of this letter, to the Director, News Division, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Mary E. Switzer Building, 330 C Street, S.W., Room 2221, Washington, DC 20201. Clearly mark both the envelope and your letter "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Garfield Daley", is written over the typed name.

Garfield Daley
Acting Director
FOI/Privacy Acts Division
Office of Public Affairs